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1. The Movimento Sociale Italiano (MSI) is neo-Fascist in character, but even the Fascists do not support it because they do not believe that it will ever achieve any importance. The movement has little following. Most of the members were former Allied prisoners. The total membership is less than a hundred. Its leaders are:

- (a) Fernando Bussolera
- (b) Fiorenzo Capriotti
- (c) Achille Cruciani
- (d) Piero Franzetti
- (e) Camillo Gamba
- (f) Enrico Redenti
- (g) Michele Venanzetti.

2. The headquarters of the movement are at Via Francesco Sforza, 41, Milan. The Fronte Sociale previously had its headquarters at this address.
3. Angelo Tavazzani, industrialist, is the financier of the Movement.
4. The Movement is trying to group under its leadership all neo-Fascist and reactionary movements.
5. It controls the publications Meridiano d'Italia in Milan, and Rivolta Ideale in Rome.
6. The MSI is trying to create a syndicalist movement in North Italy to be directed by Secondo Amadio. Amadio together with Algonzino was a promoter of the Fronte Sociale.

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